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Thursday, January 20, 1977

A Salty Story

by Elaine Skolnik

The combination of snow, freezing rains and record-breaking frigid temperatures since late December has resulted in a frantic search for salt by municipal, county and state officials. Greenbelt's stockpile of 100 tons of salt left over from previous years vanished on January 7, as did a small amount that was later purchased from the county. As of January 11, the county as well as the state was reported to be nearly out of the salting compound used to clear snow and ice from roads.

Public Works Superintendent Albert Attick said that the city was expecting a shipment of about 110 tons of solar salt momentarily if the ships coming from Venezuela can cut through the frozen Chesapeake Bay. Another shipment is expected in the near future.

In the meantime, 25 tons of sand mixed with calcium chloride, a compound which keeps the sand from freezing, is being utilized. Another 25 tons of sand without calcium chloride was purchased last Friday from A. H. Smith Sand and Gravel. City crews have worked tirelessly - at times all night, on weekends and during and after snow storms - to ease driving conditions in Greenbelt. Streets are generally in good shape except for some ice patches and parking areas along the sides of the streets. For the pedestrian, walking has been rough.

In not-so-good condition are the GHI court parking areas. GHI has neither the equipment, manpower nor funds to cope with this unique happening. GHI personnel have sanded areas where fuel tanks are located and other critical spots.

The city, county and state purchase solar salt from companies located in Baltimore - Diamond Crystal, Harvey Salt, Morton Salt and Diamond Salt. Solar salt comes from sea water which is pumped into lagoons where the water evaporates from the heat of the sun. The residue is solar salt. Attick noted that the city has been using the fine solar salt for about five years. Previously, the coarser rock salt was utilized for some 15 years. Solar salt works better and sometimes leaves a powder residue which is helpful in the event of more snow. Prior to rock salt, sand was spread during snow storms.

Greenbelt's need for salt has diminished over the years. Attick thought that one would have to go back to 1941 to find a cold spell matching this year's. He also thought the severest of all winters occurred in 1935 and 1936 when

Greenbelt was in the construction stage.

Budgets for fiscal years 1970 through 1973 called for \$3,000-\$3,500 per year for salt. In 1974 and 1975, the amount was reduced to \$2,000. During this period the amounts appropriated for the purchase of salt were not used up, as surplus stock was built up. In the fiscal year 1976, \$1,700 was budgeted and \$1,650 spent with a surplus of 100 tons of salt stockpiled at the end of the winter. The 1977 budget for this winter appropriated \$2,000. The cost for salt is almost up to \$15.00 a ton - last year a ton was tagged at about \$14.50.

Salt and sand is now stored on the grounds of the Municipal Warehouse. Attick has been exploring the possibility of the city purchasing a salt storage igloo similar to, but smaller than (up to a 400-ton capacity) the 1,200-ton capacity igloo that sits on a concrete base next to the State Highway Administration building on Kenilworth Avenue. Storing salt outdoors is not environmentally sound and results in a loss of salt through runoff and dissolution.

While the snow and ice creates problems for the city, Attick points out that the freezing temperatures have beneficial effects - "It destroys insect eggs and larva and has a good effect on air quality." And, of course, the sleighing has been great!

Center School PTA Meets Wednesday

Center School PTA will hold its Wednesday, Jan. 26, meeting at John Carroll Elementary School in Landover, at 8 p.m. Techniques for good parent-teacher conferences will be discussed. There will be a progress report from the special Task Force on school closings which might affect Greenbelt children.

Refreshments will be served after the meeting.

John Carroll is reached by taking Beltway Exit #32 West (Landover Rd.) to the first stoplight (Brightseat Rd.) then left and continue to the stop light at Village Green Drive Turn left and follow the signs to the school. For more information or for possible carpooling, call Eileen Peterson, 345-2454.

City Threatened With Loss of County Rebate

A move by county executive Winfield M. Kelly, Jr. to eliminate the tax differential program for county municipalities if new sources of revenue and tax reform measures are not forthcoming from the Maryland General Assembly can create a dent in the Greenbelt city budget of about \$50,000. This is roughly equivalent to about 6 cents on the tax rate.

The county has been paying a rebate to municipalities for the costs of services such as street lighting and maintenance which otherwise would have to be performed by the county. The Prince Georges County Municipal Association already is upset about the small tax rebates towns now get from the county, especially in the case of cities having municipal police departments.

Memorial Service For Edgar Smith

A memorial service for the late Judge Edgar L. Smith, former Mayor of Greenbelt, will be held on Saturday, January 22, at 7 p.m. at the Baptist Church located at the corner of Greenhill and Crescent Roads. Pastor Dallas Pulliam will officiate. The community is invited.

AGENDA REGULAR MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL

Monday,
Mon., January 24, 1977
8:00 P.M.

- I. ORGANIZATION
 1. Call to Order
 2. Roll Call
 3. Meditation
Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag
 4. Minutes of Regular Meeting of January 10, 1977
 5. Additions to Agenda by Councilmen and Manager
- II. COMMUNICATIONS
 6. Petitions and Requests
 7. Administrative Reports
 8. Committee Reports
- III. OLD BUSINESS
 9. Inner Walkway System for Housing for the Elderly Advisory Planning Board Report 177
 10. Agreement with Board of Education - Use of School Properties in Greenbelt
 11. Public Works Grant - Addition to Municipal Building
- IV. NEW BUSINESS
 12. Charter Amendment Resolution to Repeal and Re-enact with Amendments Section 18, "Registration for Election"; to Provide that Persons Possessing the Qualifications to Vote as Prescribed by City Charter Shall Be Able to Register Either in Person or by Mail - First Reading
 13. Resolution to Accept Hanover Parkway at Greenbriar Section 1 into the City Road System - First Reading
 14. Appointments to Advisory Committee on Housing for the Elderly
- V. MISCELLANEOUS

Greenbelt's Library

Adult film discussion - Thurs., Jan. 27, 7:30 p.m. in the Meeting Room - films by Maya Deren, an avant garde director of the 40s. "A Study in Choreography for the Camera" and "Meshes of the Afternoon". Registration required at the library or call 345-5800.

Drop-In Stories for pre-school children, ages 3 to 5 - Thurs., Jan. 27, 2 p.m. in the Children's Program Room.

Registration is open for 2½ - 3 yr. old story program. Beginning Thurs., Feb. 3, this program will run for 8 weeks - 10 a.m.

WHAT GOES ON

Sat., Jan. 22, 7 p.m. Memorial Service for Judge Edgar Smith, Baptist Church

Mon., Jan. 24, 8 p.m. City Council Meeting, Municipal Building

Wed., Jan. 26, 8 p.m. Center School PTA Meeting, John Carroll Elementary School

Thurs., Jan. 27, 8 p.m. GHI Board Meets, Hamilton Pl.

HEARING HELD ON ADDING NEW "MARITAL STATUS" DEFINITION

by Janet James

On Thursday, January 13, eight members of Greenbelt Homes, Inc. along with Royal D. Breashears, Manager, and attorney Albert Ginsberg attended a preliminary hearing in Upper Marlboro before county council members Bogely, Casula and Koonce. The hearing concerned a proposed Act, Bill No. CB-3-1977, to amend Section 2 of the Human Relations Commission Act as adopted by CB-1-1972 so as to add a definition of the term "marital status."

The proposed definition reads: - "Marital Status" means the status of a person being either married, single, widowed, separated or divorced. It shall not be construed in the case of housing to prohibit the restricted use of dwellings to persons who are related by blood or marriage.

This bill is being presented for enactment because of the phrase "immediate family" in the GHI mutual ownership contract and its interpretation by the county Human Relations Staff, as reported in the News Review of December 9 and December 30, 1976.

GHI Favors Change

GHI president James Smith, in a prepared statement said that GHI has never discriminated against single people but it has always held that people unrelated by blood or marriage do not constitute a family unit. Several members of Greenbelt Homes, Inc. who were present indicated that they are single and the fact that they are members proves that the cooperative does not discriminate against single people. All eight GHI members present said they support the proposed bill.

Albert Ginsberg, attorney for GHI, spoke again as he had before the hearing of the Human Relations Commission, of a 1965 court case which defended GHI's right to terminate a contract of a woman who was living with a man not her husband. Ginsberg also pointed out that the staff of the Human Relations Commission was relying on the maximum permissible number

of persons who may occupy a dwelling under zoning regulations as prohibiting any other criteria for limiting occupancy of that dwelling, whereas zoning regulations are not law and do not deal with marital status.

Representatives of the Prince Georges Chamber of Commerce, the Realtors Board, and the Landlord-Tenant Relations Committee were also present and supported the proposed bill.

Opposes Change

Kathy LeFevre, speaking for the staff of the Human Relations Commission (the Commission itself has not yet acted on the matter), had a two-pronged thrust to her presentation. First, as stated above, she cited zoning regulations as not prohibiting two unrelated persons from occupying a dwelling. Secondly, she claimed that the GHI mutual ownership contract discriminates economically against single people in that it permits married couples with two incomes to share the cost of the housing but requires a single person to support that cost with only one income by not permitting another single person with income to occupy the house. LeFevre also said, "You cannot legislate morality." All attorneys present questioned the accuracy of this statement, since many laws do designate immorality.

Councilman Bogely said he hoped that if the GHI case should end up in court, GHI would call him as a witness because he could say of a certainty that when the county council created the Human Relations Commission in 1972, it had not intended to force any community to admit unrelated people of the opposite sex as members, tenants, or buyers. He also suggested that when the whole council holds a hearing on this proposed bill, a great many GHI members attend the hearing.

Councilmen Bogely and Casula both said they intended to vote for the definition of marital status as contained in CB-3-1977; Councilwoman Koonce made no comment.

Help Needed

Citizens' Committee To Conduct Census

by Sandra Barnes

As its first task, the Greenbelt Citizens' Committee to study school closings has decided to conduct a door-to-door survey of the entire population of the city. The purpose of the survey will be to determine how many elementary and pre-school children are now living in Greenbelt. The committee feels it is vital to have an accurate count of these youngsters in order to show the school board that all of Greenbelt's schools should be kept open and also, if possible, to reduce the busing of Greenbelt children.

Volunteers are needed in all areas of the city in order to conduct this survey. Anyone who can help should call the survey chairman, Jackie Morrison, 474-0945.

Many parents at the Tuesday, January 18 meeting, expressed concern over the vulnerability of Greenbelt's bused youngsters being shifted all around the county if some schools are closed. Reasons cited were that Greenbelt is close to major highways, the Baltimore-Washington Pkwy. and the Beltway; Greenbelt is a clustered community where a number of children could be picked up and transported in a short time period; and children once bused are more easily moved around again in any school board plan.

Citizens concerned about the possible closing of Greenbelt's elementary school should plan to attend the next meeting of the Citizens' Committee on Tuesday, February 1. The committee elected Howard Savage as chairman and John Haggott, vice chairman.

La Leche Meeting

On Thursday, January 27, La Leche League will discuss "The Advantages of Breastfeeding." This is the first of four topics to be presented in the next few months. La Leche League offers support and encouragement to women interested in mothering through breastfeeding.

The meetings will be held at 5-E Gardenway at 8 p.m. For additional information, call 474-0616.

Recreation Review

ICY ITEMS

Ice skating anyone... try Greenbelt Lake when conditions permit. The Recreation Department will attempt to provide assistance week days 4 pm until dark; Saturdays, Sundays and holidays 9 am until dark; when conditions permit. A green flag will be displayed on the bandstand flag pole to indicate skating at your own risk. The city's guide to ice conditions is: YOUNG OR BLACK ICE - 2-½ inches uniform; safe if cautious and no congregating, 4 inches will support the weight of skaters, "Skate at your own risk!" LAYERED OR WHITE ICE - one foot of this kind will support the weight of skaters, "Skate at your own risk!" OLD OR ROTTEN ICE - thickness is under the above conditions, absolutely NO SKATING. No skating is recommended after dark. No fires are allowed except those provided by the city. Never skate alone. In case of an accident please report it immediately, there is a public phone at the lake entrance. Call 474-5454 for Police; 911 for ambulance.

Wholistic Medicine

Dr. Russell Jaffe, a resident of Greenbelt and a physician, will speak on "Wholistic Medicine" at the Mishkan Torah on Fri., Jan. 21 at 8:30 p.m. Wholistic medicine is a total concept in which all aspects of an individual's life and life style are coherently viewed as contributing to a person's well-being and the quality of his/her life. Emphasis is on health maintenance rather than disease treatment; an individual takes total responsibility for his own health and the physician is his servant rather than master. Interested persons are invited.

Outstanding City Employee Nominations Open To All

The city council has authorized a program to recognize a city employee each year for outstanding service to the city. The selection for this, the sixth annual award, shall be made by the city council based upon the employee's overall work record with the city, and, in particular, his or her record with the city during the past year. A particular event, such as a heroic feat, might be considered, but the general work record of the employee is of prime importance for the making of an award.

How to nominate: Any citizen or employee of the city may nominate one or more employees for this award. Nomination blanks may be obtained from the city offices or by simply submitting in writing the nomination of an employee and the reasons why the nominee deserves recognition as the outstanding employee of the city or Greenbelt at the time of nomination.

Deadline: Nominations must be submitted not later than noon, February 18.

Award: The Outstanding City Employee will receive a \$100 savings bond and an inscribed wall plaque.

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Let's Limit Occupants Not Family Relationships in GHI

To the Editor:

Janet James' letter in the Jan. 13 News Review on GHI rules prohibiting people not related by blood or marriage from becoming members and occupying a GHI dwelling together requires a flock of answers.

With all due respect to Janet—whom I do respect and like much, and for whose many services to our housing co-op we all are indebted—I am impelled to say that her somewhat dubious reliance on ancient history (Israel, China, Japan, etc.) and her genuine feelings about monogamy and marriage do not constitute an adequate guide to present needs.

Nor is the present GHI rule simple in its application, though I confess in all the years I dealt with other aspects of GHI's bylaws I never thought to ask how the rules are being interpreted and applied. Not until the recent News Review news stories on the litigation before county human rights agency did I stop to think about the implications of GHI's policy and to ask board members questions. What I have been told should be known by all:

Under GHI's family-only policy, unless the GHI Board grants a specific exception in a specific case, it is forbidden to have any non-member of the family staying at your home for over a month. This isn't only applicable to a man and a woman being unmarried lovers together, which is what Janet is steamed up about and, I take it, what Gabe Sucher is saying GHI should not take it upon itself to interfere with insofar as it involves GHI contracts.

If a GHI family comes on hard times—job loss, incapacitating injury, etc.—that family can't take in a paying lodger to help meet the monthly payments. If a GHI member is on a fixed and inadequate retirement income, he, she or they can't take in a paying lodger; the member could be an elderly widow, and the lodger a young woman, and no sexual activity is involved, but it still is a no-no. If an elderly GHI member living alone has need of a young companion to help him or her get around, etc., because the member no longer can do for himself or herself, or just to have someone to talk to, to be read to by, and the companion is to live in, that's a no-no.

If a GHI member family wishes to take in a student or two, because there are empty rooms since the children of the family have grown up and moved out or because the member is one person in a house big enough for several, or perhaps to take in an exchange student from abroad or a long-time friend who has fallen on hard times—these also are no-nos.

If, as I understand also has occurred, the father in a GHI family dies, and the young children's therapist advises the mother to take in a young man so there's a sort of father-image around, then even if the young man sleeps in a different room than anyone else, that too is a no-no. (There was a complicating factor in this case, I am told: the young man was sleeping in a basement room without a door and this ran afoul of a county rule. But absent that factor, this situation still would have been counter to the GHI family-only rule.)

About the only kind of violation of the family-only rule which GHI never has treated as a violation—and I am glad we haven't—is the co-habitation of several women who are not what we normally think of as a family, in a GHI house on Crescent. They've been there for many years, I guess, and I don't

even know whether they are the same persons year after year. But it's all right; they have the right sponsorship; they live in a convent made out of GHI units.

The family-only rule is much broader than most us realize; it says in ways I never realized that our home isn't our literal home.

Yes, I will tell you that I personally believe it also is none of GHI's business whether a couple are co-habiting but unmarried. If they have the steady income, good credit, meet our normal tests, I say let them buy in and live here. Let both of them sign the contract, so both have an incentive to make a go of it and a stake in GHI's success, and so that GHI can have a legal right to hold whichever one of them remains (if they break up, which even married couples sometimes do) to their responsibilities to GHI.

The situation is even more complicated that I've suggested so far. I've been told that the county agency involved in that litigation has some ideas about requiring GHI to admit as residents two adults per room. I find that hard to believe; it smacks of a Russian-type standard of living and it also would seem to be an exceeding by the agency of authority to do the necessary job it was set up for. If the county, or any other governing body, tries to insist that GHI accept as many as two adults per room, I think the GHI board should try to fight that by all legal means.

In sum, I think we are living in today's world and must adjust our thinking to it. We have a family-only rule which is too broad, too all-encompassing in what it forbids (at least, forbids without board consent). I think we have no business limiting use of a GHI home by the member in the ways now forbidden, nor refusing to admit to membership on the stated grounds.

But I also think we need to consider adoption of a carefully-written reasonable rule on the maximum number of occupants (we have none now except for new applicants!) which would allow for such things as births after moving in, etc., but would ban a swarming, formless and unpleasant-to-live-near mob from being a "member." A family-type community is great, but the forms of family are changing and the nuclear family should not be the only one we consider. Indeed, it isn't; we do have single persons as members (and we don't monitor their callers). Now let's think a little beyond that.

By the way, does my friend Janet James really want an ancient type of extended family (grand-parents, aunts and uncles and cousins by the dozens, along with papa, mama and the 14 kids in a GHI home?

Mat Amberg

Nancy Robinson

TO: G.H.I. MEMBERS

Report #23 - Collected GNMA Deferral Repayment Funds

in Peoples National Bank

Collected thru 1976 from Members Charges \$199,602

Interest Earned to Date 12,745

\$212,347

Certificates of Deposit \$209,000

Savings Account 3,347

\$212,347

January 18, 1977

James R. Foster

Treasurer

Winning vs. Sportsmanship
To the Editor:

Boys and Girls Club teams are organized to provide recreational outlet for the youth in the community.

The emphasis the coach places on the team should not be that of winning, the emphasis should be placed on sportsmanship, team unity, and other beneficial aspects of sports. All team members who eagerly participate in practices, have team spirit, and show proper attitudes toward their team should play, not just those players who the coach feels may win the game. Of course this does not mean that the game should not be handled seriously, it should, but the entire team should participate.

Poor coaching procedures such as letting players ride the bench, or substituting these "benchwarmers" in during the last few seconds of the game causes many players to quit or lose interest in the sport. Coaches who practice these methods should not be coaching on a Boys and Girls Club level.

Bridget Osborne

Against X-Rated Movies

To the Editor:

At our membership meeting January 14, it was brought to our attention that for several weeks X rated movies have been featured exclusively at our Greenbelt movie theatre. We want to go on record as protesting the showing of X rated movies in our neighborhood theatre, also the advertising of same in newspapers. We feel that this brings undesirable patrons to our town.

Greenbelt was built and has remained a town oriented to families. The safety and morals of our children was and is uppermost in our minds.

Edna Waters

Corresponding Secretary

The Woman's Club of Greenbelt

"Missing the Point"

To the Editor:

Miss James' references to our "downhill" society and illegitimate births as reasons for denying GHI homes to those who don't choose to live traditionally are not a reflection of immorality on the part of traditional families, but an indication that she cannot accept reality.

Any aware person knows that "family" now means any two or more people who live together, regardless of whether or not they are related by blood or bound by an obscure piece of paper and promises. The latest Census Bureau statistics show that one out of three marriages in the 25-35 age group will end in divorce and that marriages in all age groups are ending in divorce at a fast rate. In 1964, when Betty Friedan wrote *The Feminine Mystique*, half of all married men were having extra-marital affairs by the fifteenth year of marriage. Is this the "historically proven morality" you speak of? I'm sure that figure is much higher now.

It is missing the point to tag a moral judgment on these changes; they are reality. I am a single parent, and so are the majority of my friends and acquaintances. We are not immoral; we have simply accepted the change and are coping with it. Laws that were made by men thousands of years ago do not work today for everyone. Living in the past is easy. It takes guts to break tradition.

PARENT DISCUSSION

The next meeting of the Greenbelt Parent Discussion Group will be held Wed., Jan. 26 from 9:30-11:30 a.m. at the Greenbelt Baptist Church. The guest speaker will be Ms. Carolyn Dennis from the National Organization of Women.

Babysitting is available and refreshments will be served. For more information call Betty Hughes at 474-8458.

MARCH FOR LIFE

The annual March for Life will take place on Sat., Jan. 22, in Washington D.C. protesting the Supreme Court's decision legalizing abortion. Buses will leave St. Hugh's parking lot at 11:30 a.m. and return no later than 4:30 p.m. For more information call 474-6589.

THANKS

To the Editor:

The residents of 2-court Westway Rd. owe the McKinney girls a note of thanks, or something more material, for removing the snow and hard ice from the walk and part of the parking area in the court.

The youngsters worked in the frigid weather Saturday and Sunday doing a good job.

Mishkan Torah Sisterhood

The Mishkan Torah Sisterhood meeting on Thurs., Jan. 27 at 8 p.m. will feature a "Wine and Cheese Tasting Party." Women interested in the organization are invited to attend.

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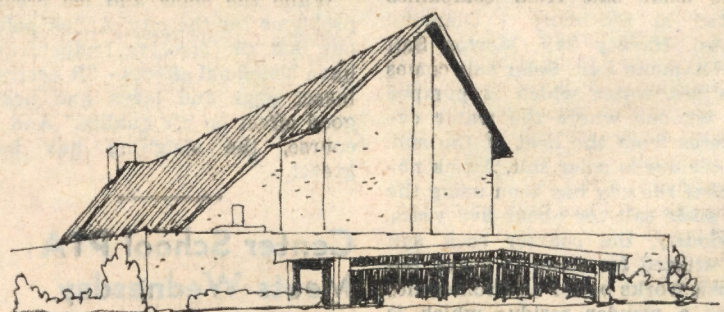
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7:45 p.m. Annual Meeting

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Our Neighbors

by Elaine Skolnik

Miriam Cornelius, a resident of Greenbelt since 1960, moved to the Friends housing development in Sandy Spring yesterday. She had waited a long time for an opening in the 100-unit apartment. We wish her happiness and good health in her new home.

Mrs. Cornelius will be missed by all her friends and her absence will certainly be felt by the community she served so well. Active in many organizations including Housing for the Elderly, Twin Pines, Peace in Vietnam Committee, she was a faithful reporter and proof reader for the Greenbelt News Review.

Mrs. Cornelius said that she will still be associated with the Greenbelt Community Church, and in her absence her grandson Edward Cornelius will reside at 10-B Crescent. He is an insurance agent with State Farm and has an office in Cheverly. Mrs. Cornelius' new address is 17310 Quaker Lane, Sandy Spring, Md. 20860.

Police Blotter

Thirty juvenile complaints were received last week. The majority of these were minor in nature - juveniles throwing snowballs at vehicles. There were also numerous complaints of juveniles "screaming" - this is trying to hold onto the bumpers of cars to slide on the ice. Parents are requested to caution their children against this practice as it is extremely dangerous.

A 27 year old male resident of Greenbelt was charged with breaking and entering by PFC Ceccarelli, after he was found inside the American Legion while it was closed. He had attempted to remove some \$200 worth of food and liquor.

Two other breaking and enterings were reported last week. One was in Greenbriar where electronic equipment was taken. The culprit was surprised by the resident who was at home. Lookouts have been issued in both cases.

Ten animal complaints have been received this week. One animal was impounded after it bit a resident of Research Road. It will be kept under observation for the next 10 days.

Record Hop at Mishkan Torah

An "Oldies but Goodies" Record Hop featuring the music of the 50's and 60's will be held at the Mishkan Torah on Sat., Jan. 22 from 8 to midnight. Jitterbug limbo and best 50's outfit contests will highlight the program.

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Campus Center for Early Learning - Greenbriar, located in the Greenbriar condominium community building, is now enrolling for the spring semester. Full & half day programs for children ages 2-5. Hours 7 a.m. - 6 p.m. Teachers have degrees in early childhood education. Innovative educational programs. Call for information and brochure. 345-8830.

University Boutique's WINTER CLEARANCE SALE begins today, Thursday, Jan 20. On sale will be all sheep wool sweater coats, all winter dresses, skirt, pants, and shirts. (25% to 40% off). 7420 Baltimore Ave., College Park

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Reed has a pupil capacity of 630 students. Attending this school year are 518 (82.2% of student capacity). It is projected that next year's enrollment will be 488 (77.5% of student capacity). All students are bused.

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CHILDREN'S CLASSES:

Clay Modeling (6 & 0)	YC	Sat 10:30-11:30a	\$8/8 classes
Kinder Krafts (4-5 yrs.)	YC	Sat. 9-10a	\$8/8 classes
Martial Arts (6-15 yrs.)	SHLRC	Tue 6-7 p	\$12/8 classes

ADULT CLASSES - 16 & Over:

Batik (+ materials)	YC	Tue 8-10 p	\$20/20 gr.hrs.
Macrame (+ materials)	YC	Mon 6:45-7:45p	\$8/5 classes
Sign Language (+ book fee)	SHLRC	Wed 7:30-9:30p	\$20/20 gr.hrs.

TEEN SKI TRIP:

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